

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

CHRISTOPHER RUFFAT

Plaintiff,

v.

KILOLO KIJAKAZI, Acting  
Commissioner of Social Security\*  
Defendant.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 20-63

**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 17th day of October 2023, upon careful and independent consideration of Plaintiff's Request for Review [Doc. No. 14], the response and reply thereto, the administrative record, and the Report and Recommendation ("R&R") of United States Magistrate Judge Timothy R. Rice [Doc. No. 20], the objections and responses thereto, and for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum opinion, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. The Clerk is directed to **REMOVE** the case from Civil Suspense;
2. The Objections to the R&R are **SUSTAINED in part** and the R&R is **NOT APPROVED**; and
3. Plaintiff's request for remand is **GRANTED**.

It is so **ORDERED**.

**BY THE COURT:**

/s/ Cynthia M. Rufe

**CYNTHIA M. RUFÉ, J.**

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\* Substituted under Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d).